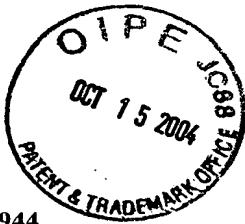


**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re the Application of

Masahiro TOTSU et al.

Group Art Unit: 2834

Application No.: 10/659,401

Examiner: D. Le

Filed: September 11, 2003

For: HOLDING MEMBER, COOLANT, COOLING METHOD AND COOLING DEVICE, LINEAR MOTOR DEVICE, AND EXPOSURE APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
 Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*78 MINUS	**71	=7	x 9	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	*9 MINUS	***10	=0	x 44	\$
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Check No. 159671 in the amount of \$126.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
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Date: October 15, 2004



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Sir:

In reply to the May 3, 2004 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply  
being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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